

# SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MONTHLY STATISTICS

DECEMBER, 1952

Particulars	Jan-Dec. 1952 1951			1952	1951
<u>VITAL</u> - Births Regd.	17,884	17,463	No.	1,572	1,590
Deaths "	7,050	7,184	No.	599	658
Marriages	6,241	6,646	No.	519	600
Infantile Deaths	413	428	No.	31	43
<u>BUILDING PERMITS</u> by Metropolitan Municipalities					
Dwellings			No.	315	239
			£	738,378	363,913
Other New Buildings			No.	30	20
			£	81,138	68,910
Additions &c.			No.	705	532
			£	216,875	87,483
Government			£	17,252	29,980
TOTAL VALUE			£	1,053,643	550,286
Dwellings Jan-Dec.			£	15,018,129	16,372,731
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<u>BANKING</u> - Clearings - Weekly Average			£	16,086,140	21,059,102
Savings Banks Deposits			£	107,263,268	100,570,232
<u>GENERAL FINANCE</u> - Bankrupts, Schemes &c.			No.	7	6
Assets			£	25,166	4,926
Liabilities			£	60,081	14,091
Real Estate Mortgages -					
Loans			£	1,663,900	1,798,856
Discharges			£	915,000	661,595
Land Transferred			£	3,192,900	2,935,200
<u>SALES TAX</u> - Approx. Sales - Taxable Goods			£	3,646,318	4,347,410
Exempt Goods			£	8,293,936	11,734,593
Total			£	11,940,254	16,082,003
<u>MOTOR REGISTRATIONS</u> - New Vehicles -					
Cars			No.	1,074	1,211
Commercial			No.	432	562
Cycles			No.	181	370
<u>TRADE</u> - Exports 1950-51	£A 107,674,041		£A	7,717,999	5,131,548
1951-52	£A 97,250,658	Jul/Dec	£A	55,657,204	40,954,608
Imports 1950-51	£A 56,000,773		£A	2,989,061	5,730,561
1951-52	£A 93,033,189	Jul/Dec.	£A	22,092,930	13,106,653
<u>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS</u> (Estimated)				November	November
Factories			M	62,600	64,900
			F	13,200	17,000
Retail Stores			M	11,600	12,250
			F	10,300	11,850
Grand Total (Excl. Rural, Domestic, Defence)			M	168,100	169,900
			F	52,800	57,150
			T	220,900	227,050

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